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## MAY 3.

The President, Dr. RUSCHENBERGER, in the chair.

Thirty-four persons present.

Dr. Geo. A. Koenig was elected a member of the Council to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Dr. Chapman.

## MAY 10.

The President, Dr. RUSCHENBERGER, in the chair.

Twenty-eight persons present.

The deaths of Jos. S. Lovering, a member, and of Dr. James Lewis, of Mohawk, N. Y., a correspondent, were announced.

## MAY 17.

Mr. THOS. MEEHAN, Vice-President, in the chair.

Twenty-nine persons present.

The following papers were presented for publication:

"*Quercus rubra* L. var. *Texana*," by S. B. Buckley.

"*Quercus Durandii*," by S. B. Buckley.

"*Rhus cotinoides*," by S. B. Buckley.

## MAY 24.

The President, Dr. RUSCHENBERGER, in the chair.

Twenty-nine persons present.

A paper entitled "Revision of the Palæocrinoidea, Part II, Family Sphæroidocrinidæ, including the subfamilies Platycrinidæ, Rhodocrinidæ and Actinocrinidæ," by Charles Wachsmuth and Frank Springer, was presented for publication.

The death of Thos. A. Scott, a member, was announced.

*Sexual Characters in Fritillaria atropurpurea*, Nuttall.—Mr. THOMAS MEEHAN noticed the occurrence of separate male and hermaphrodite flowers in *Fritillaria atropurpurea*, cases of bi-